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EXHIBITS AT LOCAL SEED WORTH PLACE IN PROVINCIAL FAIR, SAYS JUDGE SCOTT

The exhibits at the Chauvin Seed and Poultry Fair held under the auspices of the Chauvin Agricultural Society were of a very high standard of quality and general excellence. It was to be regretted that they were not more numerous.

The following is the list of prize winners at the Chauvin Seed Fair

- Marquiss Wheat: 1 C. Ouellette; 2 A. McAskill
Kitchener Wheat: 1 E. A. Pitman; 2 L. Fahner
Registered Wheat: 1 E. A. Pitman
Red Fife Wheat: 1 L. Fahner
Red Bobs Wheat: 1 J. Semple
Ruby Wheat: 1 H. Young
Sweepstakes in Wheat, H. Young.
Victory Oats: 1 Geo. Snell, Sr.
Long Oats: 1 E. A. Pitman; 2 L. Fahner; 3 C. Ouellette
Short Oats: 1 Alex Taylor; 2 E. A. Pitman
Sweepstakes, Oats: 1 Alex Taylor
Barley: 1 L. Fahner
White Potatoes: 1 Jos. Smith; 2 J. Craddock; 3 A. McSporran
Red Potatoes: 1 Jos. Smith
Plymouth Rocks: 1 J. Semple; 2 L. Fahner; 3 Geo. Snell, Sr.
Wyandottes: 1 P. H. Perry; 2 E. A. Pitman
Wyandottes, pullets and cockerel: 1 E. A. Pitman; 2 Mrs Pitman; 3 Ernie Pitman
Plymouth Rocks, pullets and cockerel: 1 J. Craddock; 2 L. Fahner
Rhode Island Reds: 1 C. J. Smith
Sweepstake, pullets: Mrs Pitman
Sweepstake, cockerel: Mr Pitman
Turkeys: 1 Geo. Snell, Sr. 2 C. J. Smith; 3 L. Fahner
Fowl, dressed: 1 Mrs Richardson; 2 Mrs Pitman
Turkey, dressed: 1 Mrs Richardson; 2 Mrs Pitman; 3 A. McSporran

ANNUAL MEETING

The afternoon proceedings were begun by the president, Norman Strachan, who acting as president, re-the judges to address the meeting.

Address by H. W. Scott

Mr H. W. Scott, agricultural director, Sedgewick, was the first to be called upon. His task of speaking was greatly increased by Mr James Semple's prize Plymouth Rock rooster, who applauded nearly every sentence, and certain every good point made, by "fowl" language of most empathic kind. The other birds also joined in the chorus to vindicate their most intelligent appreciation of Mr Scott's remarks. With these handicaps to contend with the speaker, as did Mr Bailey, who followed, made a remarkably interesting address.

He expressed his pleasure at having the privilege to speak at Chauvin twice within a period of twelve months. The exhibits at this fair were very good, though in several classes he regretted that only one exhibit was shown. This district in common with others in Alberta had a very good sample of wheat, but, unfortunately the oats were not quite as good.

Grain Worth Showing At Provincial Seed Fair

He had been asked if any of the local exhibits of seed grain would be

suitable for showing at the provincial seed fair, and whether they had any chance of winning prizes. He would reply that he certainly advised that these exhibits should be sent up for the stood a very fair chance of winning prizes. At the same time he advocated a more careful cleaning, and especially of the Ruby wheat.

Referring to the White Potatoes, for which he had awarded a prize, he wished it to be distinctly understood that those exhibited did not form the most desirable specimens, being too large. The ideal type was smaller and smoother.

Financial Depression General

Making reference to the world-wide financial depression now existing, he instanced how that two years past a bushel of wheat would purchase five gallons of gasoline, but now a bushel of wheat would only purchase one gallon of gasoline, whilst it required more than two bushels of oats to obtain a gallon of gasoline. Farmers, he said, would have to live more and more upon the produce of the farms. To illustrate this point he related an experience he had had recently. He was at a bank, and a man came in to borrow \$100. The bank manager declined his request. Shortly after another man came to borrow money. This man wanted \$800, and got it immediately. The bank manager, explaining this to the speaker, said that up to that morning the first applicant had been regarded a good for an advance. That morning, however, the manager had seen the applicant buy a quantity of canned goods, regardless of economy, indicating that he had little idea of the value of money. Thus had the man lost his rating at the bank.

Must Raise Quality Products

He referred to the recent conference at Ottawa of the Dominion and provincial governments and the hog raisers associations, called in order to seek an improvement of the present state of the bacon. The packers had agreed to government grading and to pay a ten per cent premium for certain standards. At present only one pig in eight of those going to market was suitable for the best bacon trade. Yorkshires, Tamworths, and the long Berkshires were the best type of hogs to get the top of the market. He instanced the discrimination shown by the English consumer in buying his bacon, and very strongly emphasized that the farmer must, at this time particularly, raise only the best—that which would fetch a premium because it was desired and was therefore saleable at the top market price.

His speech received very hearty applause from all present. (including, of course, the poultry.)

Address by S. F. Bailey

Mr S. F. Bailey, of Calgary, was the next to take the platform at the request of the chairman. Mr. Bailey had acted as judge of the poultry. He has a wonderful way of handling birds, a gentle sort of soothing touch which seems to make the most unhappy bird feel happy, and the wild-

est bird at peace with him. The way in which he sat a bird down and stepped back a pace to note the general contour of the bird was so satisfying to the bird that they stood still and viewed him with the love-light in their eyes—such was the magnetic touch. The birds remembered him, for as he went to the platform they redoubled their noise, and required the combined efforts of Lt-Col Rodden and Mr Scott to reduce them to something like order.

American Standard of Perfection Favored by S. F. Bailey

Mr S. F. Bailey, in his remarks, said we hear much about the Haughen test these days. He judged, however, according to the American standard of perfection. In points of difference of opinion of the utility men and the fanciers, he argued that the fanciers were no less particular on the essential qualities of a bird. The fanciers culled every bird showing imperfect conformation and shape, and insisted at the same time on the markings, or requirements of beauty—a man painted his horse, and even added ornamental paintings for the added charm of beauty, altho a coat of creosote would serve equally well from a point of utility alone. The cattle men, strictly speaking, he added, paid a strict attention to the requirements of color. He instanced the recent sale of a bull at Calgary for around \$80 which would have sold for over \$200 had it not been an undesired color.

Best Birds Most Profitable

The best looking birds, well cared for were the profitable birds. One might have a good cow and not care for it properly and still get some returns, but one could not have birds and get returns with out proper birds and proper care. With the hens it was a home run—or nothing.

Business Resumed

The minutes of the last year's annual meeting of the society were read and approved. After which the secretary, Mr Pratt H. Perry read his report. This report in full reads as follows:—

The Secretary's Report

Mr President, Directors, and members of the Chauvin Agricultural Society, I wish to submit to you the following report of the society for the past year.

On December 4th last, the members elected the following officers, who held twelve meetings, usually on the first Saturday in the month:— (the figures given against each name indicates the number of directors attended by each)—President Strachan 12; 1st vice-president Mrs Armour 11, 2nd vice-president G. Tessier 8; J. Semple 0; C. W. Ryall 0; J. Murray 3; C. Larson 0; G. Leggett 0, Lt-Col W. Rodden 8; Mrs C. Miller 10; Mrs R. Felton 1; A. E. Keith 12; E. A. Pitman 7; G. C' Lasell 4; H. Young 9; Dr Folkins 6; J. Guthrie 0; D MacDonald 0; Mrs Sevigny 1: On account of the resignation of Mrs Felton, Mrs Sevigny was elected.

The majority of the past presidents who were made honorary directors, showed their appreciation of the honor thrust upon them, by staying away from the meetings of the directors as the list will show.

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Have you tried The Chauvin Bakery?

MUNICIPAL HAIL INSURANCE VOTE TO BE TAKEN AT THE NEXT MUNICIPAL ELECTION

The regular meeting of the Council of the Municipal District of Ribstone was held at Chauvin, December 10th 1921, at 1.30 p.m. All the members of the council were present. Reeve Ferguson presiding.

Minutes of last preceeding meeting were read and on motion of Councilor McCluskey were adopted as read.

The Annual Municipal Convention: Reeve Ferguson and councillor Dumont were appointed delegates to attend Convention at Edmonton, commencing Dec. 14th, and continuing for three days. Motion by N. Doucette.

The following polling places and Deputy Returning Officers were named and appointed for the next municipal election, in divisions 1, 2, and 3.—

- Div. 1: C. J. Levesque's farm, 30-42-1-4; deputy Mr James Semple
Div. 2: W. O. Harris farm, on 10-44-1-4 deputy Mr. W. O. Harrie.
Div. 3: Mrs Sevigny's farm, on 22-42-2-4, deputy Mr H. Foreman

Returning Officer: Mr. Alfred Pettitt was appointed Returning Officer, remuneration as before.

Hail Insurance: After discussing the matter of taking a vote as to whether this district is in favour of being included in the Hail Insurance, divisions to vote thereon at the next election; the other three divisions to vote the following year, or in the spring.

Secretary was instructed to apply to have the secretary of the LaPearl

school district appointed registrar of vital statistics, being the nearest official to the LaPearl cemetery; as the present arrangements were not convenient.

Armenian Relief Fund: Letter was read from Municipal Association with an enclosed copy letter from the Minister of Agriculture, asking that all members of the council join in making an appeal for contributions of grain in aid of the Armenian Relief Fund. Secretary was instructed to have an appeal inserted in the local newspaper. Motion by councillor Sewell.

Accounts: All accounts and time sheets were passed for payment as presented on motion councillor Dumont.

Councillor Dumont moved that the council pay the sum of \$10 per month as it's share of rent for the new offices and council chamber. Carried. Cases for relief of indigent persons were referred to the respective Councillors for attention and reports.

LaPearl Cemetery lots, 18 x 18 were placed on the books for purchase at \$6 per lot; and \$3 per half lot. Motion Councillor Sewell.

Letters from Messrs Hawken and Hughes were referred to the attention of Council. McCluskey re-roads.

Council. Tunney moved that the next meeting of the Council be held at Chauvin on Saturday the 7th January at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Council. Doucette moved that the meeting be adjourned. Carried.

DONATIONS OF GRAIN INVITED FOR ARMENIAN RELIEF FUND

Inserted by the Instruction of M. D. Ribstone Council.

The Hon. George Hoadley, Minister of Agriculture, as President of the Provincial Committee of the Armenian Relief Fund, has written to all Municipalities to the following effect:—

"I am convinced that the farmers of this Province have a very pressing duty to perform in rendering assistance to those who are suffering the horrors of starvation in Armenia. Few of our people realize the serious conditions which exist."

"During the past few years large numbers of the male population have been massacred by the Turks because they refused to renounce their Christian Faith. Widows and orphan children have no possible means of

support, and many deaths occur daily on account of the lack of food and disease."

The Canadian Committee have decided to ask the farmers of Canada for a contribution of three bushels of wheat (or the equivalent value in other grains) for each thousand bushels of grain grown this year.

This committee is convinced that every bushel of grain contributed will reach the people for whom it is intended; and there will be nothing deducted for expenses.

All grain contributions should be deposited at your nearest elevator.

Any information required will be gladly furnished by the Department of Agriculture, Edmonton.

Local Notes Of Interest

Mr. Mitchelson passed through on Monday's flyer on his way to Quebec where he will spend the winter with his daughter.

Mrs Chas Miller went to Saskatoon last Thursday for medical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rinde are visiting in Edmonton.

The Chauvin Flour Mill is wrestling from the Chauvin Chronicle the reputation of working the longest hours

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W. L. A. Bazaar: Bright and Busy

The members of the Westmisster Ladies Aid are to be congratulated on tht splendid success of their efforts in holding the bazaar and sale of work in the I. O. O.F. hall, on Saturday December 3rd. They certainly deserved every bit of success they attained, for the whole was hall-marked with the evidence of strenuous effort, and painstaking attention to detail..

The hall at the time of the informal

opening presented a bright, cheerful and businesslike appearance. Both sides being occupied by prettily arranged stalls, each bearing a full burden of wares for sale. In the centre of the hall were a number of tables for guests to take an afternoon cup of tea and light refreshments. On the platform little Jack Horner sat with a pie as big as bath, from which, at a cost of ten cents, a lucky dip could be gotten.

The writer, a mere man and impeccable editor, strolled in several times during the afternoon. He entered somewhat timorously and each time found easy to escape quite safely. He could not fail to notice that a strict moderation in price was general at every stall. The petite nature of the stalls, the variety of colors and the abundance of charming ladies made him dream that he was translated right into the midst of fairyland itself. He was aroused from his dreaming by one of the most charming of the fairies, possibly the queen, showing him an ordinary looking jar

of ordinary looking white beans (no pork) and requested to guess the number of fairies—no, beans—in the jar. The writer would have got the prize for his guess—only he was lacking the quarter—thus are our dreams shattered.

But perhaps the fairy will tell us who eventually got those beans—we are quite worried about them.

Throughout the entire afternoon business remained brisk, and little remained unsold at the close.

There were six booths in all: the list of which follows, giving thenamts of those in charge:—

Fancy Work: Mrs. A. E. Keith and Mrs H. G. Folkins

Plain Work: Miss Rodden and Miss Roberts

Aprons: Mrs W. McCluskey; Mrs E. A. Foxwell; Mrs W. Millar

Candy: Mrs W. Ellis, assisted by the High School girls

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Music: Mrs H. N. Freeman

Entertainment was provided at intervals during the afternoon. Mrs A. E. Keith contributing two songs. A short dramatic sketch entitled 'The Newsboys' was performed by three boys, Donal. Folkins, Harker Saul, and Raymond D'Albertanson being the youthful and enthusiastic actors.

'A News-boy's Drill' was performed by the following company of lads:— Edward Villa, Ernest Pitman, James Wright, Gordon Millar, Elmer Hass, Donald Folkins, Antone Dables, Frank Dables, Harker Saul, Lloyd Reynolds, James Borregard, Raymond D'Albertanson.

The total amout taktn in at the bazaar was \$342.40. The expenses amounting to \$69.35; thus leaving a balance for the manse fund of \$273.05

Chauvin W. I. Notes

The annual meeting of tre Chauvin W I. which was to have been held on Saturday, December 17th, is postponed until January, owing to tht family of the president being under quarantine. Further notice as to the exact date will be given.

The following is a letter received by the secretary, in acknowledgment of the Institutes' donation to the Red Cross Relief Funds.

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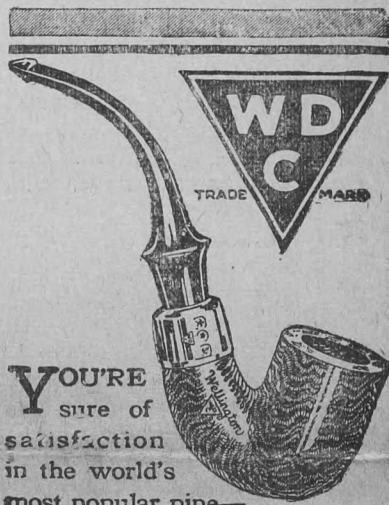
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Dear Mrs. Gifford:

I enclose herewith receipt no. 10778 for \$30, being donation sent by the Chauvin W. I. for General Funds

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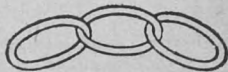
Mrs C. B. WAAGEN,

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Christmas Tree And Concert: Prosperity

A Christmas tree and concert to be held in Prosperity school on Friday December 16th, beginning at 8 p.m. Dance to follow.

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MERVIN S. RUSSELL BURIED AT RIBSTONE FRIDAY LAST WITH MILITARY HONORS

A very large congregation turned out in sympathy with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Russell on Friday afternoon. The weather was fine and mild. A short service was held at the house, after which the G.W.V.A. of which Mervin S. Russell was a member, supported by the 19th Alberta Dragoons formed a firing party composed of the following:— D. Saul, P. Sevigny, A. Hirons, A. Herbert, H. Foxwell, A. Tuey, G. M. Beattie. A Guard of Honor was also formed. The following formed a Guard of Honor: A. Pierce, R. Pierce, A. Burtch, E. Lambert, R. Noakes, G. Burton. The Dragoons took possession of the casket bearing it shoulder high

to the wagon. attended by the guard of honor. Sgt. G. Beattie in command. The cortege proceeded to the Municipal Hall where a large concourse of people had gathered, many were unable to gain an entrance.. After the casket was placed it was covered by the Union Jack by the commanding officer. Floral tributes were sent by the soldiers in Keith's sanatorium, Calgary, the Ribstone Ladies Aid, Ribstone W. I. The G.W.V.A. and the Dragoons placed themselves in formation facing the casket. Rev. Wm. Mitchelson delivered a very appropriate address on the great and costly price God sets upon his saints. The address given will be

food for thought for many days to come.

Mrs. Pound kindly presided at the organ Mrs. Etson, Mrs. Little, Misses Price Mr. Dell and Mr. Pound formed a choir, and led the singing. The hymns chosen were "Nearer my God to Thee," "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," and "Jesus Lover of my Soul." The choir sang "It is Well with my Soul." At the conclusion of the service Sgt Beattie opened the casket the minister inviting all who wished to see the body to form in single file, all taking advantage. Then the G. W. V. A. carried the casket, shoulder-high, marching between the guard of honor to the wagon. The cortege then formed in a very long train, the soldiers surrounding the wagon. On arrival at the cemetery the soldiers took charge, and a short service was held at the grave. At the request of Rev. Mitchelson the hymn "There is a Land that's fairer than day," was sung. Three volleys were fired over the grave.

The deceased has been a severe sufferer. He bore this patiently, be- quite and unobtrusive in his manner. He is another addition to the great Roll of Honor, having given his life for his country.

Much sympathy is felt for the be- reaved family.

Xmas Entertainment

A Christmas entertainment, under the auspices of the Westminster Ladies Aid will be held in the Westminster Church, on Thursday, December 29th, at seven o'clock. A short program by the children, games and the symbolic tree will supply an evening's fun.

The parents and friends are cordially invited to be present and give the bairns a good time. No admission charge.

Three Days Bazaar And Entertainments

With the object of raising money for the Sacred Heart Church funds, the Ladies of the Altar are holding a bazaar. Their plans provide for three busy, happy evenings. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, December 13th, 14th and 15th.

Hot supper will be served each evening at from 6 p.m., after which visitors being duly refreshed, will find plenty of interest in the many stalls all laden with good things. Fancy sewing, china, gift articles for each member of the family will be exhibited and offered for sale at these stalls. Other attractions will include a fish pond, lottery table, toy wheel of fortune for children. Refreshments will be served and entertainments given.

Dragoons Dance Dec 16

The 19th Alberta dragoons are giving a regimental dance in the Oddfellows Hall on Friday December 16th. The proceeds to go towards squadron funds. Dress uniform may be worn. Everybody welcome. The Odd-whist drive for this dance.

The Saskatchewan government proposes to have tests made to ascertain the milling value of the various grades of wheat, Hon. J. A. Maharg Minister of Agriculture, states.

Enjoyable Dance

One of the most enjoyable dances of the season, under the auspices of the G. W. V. A. was held on Friday night last. Owing to some slight misunderstanding, the Chauvin Orchestra were unable to attend, but the Misses J. and M. Price, Folkins, Saul, and Godin; and Mr and Mrs G. W. Allan, and Bill Cahill, who seemed to take a keen delight in this performance. Mr Hirons officiated at the drum. The hall was comfortably filled, and a most enjoyable time was spent by all.

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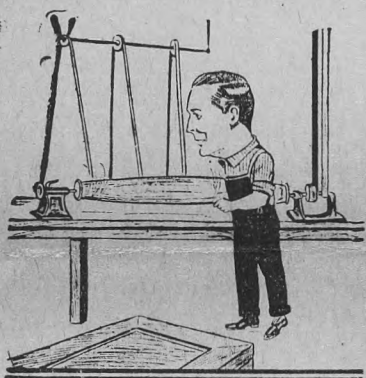
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Wedding Bells

The marriage of Mr. Albert B. White to Miss. Tressa H. M. Dallyn was solemnised on Wednesday, December 7th, 1921 at 4 p.m. in the brides home (Mr. John Dallyn's) in the presence of a very large assembly of relatives and friends. Elder J. A. Beckley officiated at the ceremony. Mrs. L. L. Pound presided at the organ and as the bride entered the drawing room leaning on her father's

arm, played the brides wedding march. The bride was attired in Ivory satin trimmed with white Georgette crepe and carried a lovely bouquet of flowers. Her bridesmaid, Miss Alma Dallyn was dressed in white organdie trimmed with pale blue silk and carried a bouquet of flowers. Mr. Earl Gregory acted as best man. The presents were most lovely costly and numerous.

Try The Chauvin Bakery

Mr. and Mrs. John Dallyn entertained all guests to a most bountiful wedding breakfast, fully 150 people sat down. Mrs. Pound and Mrs. Gregory gave some good selections on the organ and Mr. Thos. Smith and Mr. Wm. Clifford and Earle Gregory played the violin during the whole. After the tables were cleared the young folks and indeed some of the older ones indulged in games and a very jolly time was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. White motored to Chauvin the following morning and boarded the C.N. train for Gilbert Plains where they are spending their honeymoons.

Ribstone L. A. Notes

The Ribstone Ladies Auxiliary are giving a Sunday School Christmas Tree on Thursday, December 22nd in the Municipal Hall. Everybody Welcome.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of William Chauvin, dearly beloved twin son of Andrew and Flora McSparran, who died 12th December 1920, aged 7 years and 7 months. Sadly missed.

Notice

Those owing accounts to J. P. Fisher, Chauvin Bakery, are hereby notified that payment must be made without further delay. These monies are necessary to carry on business, and we do not wish to take legal action for collection.

This notice does not refer to any one holding Bread Tickets.

J. P. FISHER, Chauvin

Chauvin G.W.V.A.

The annual meeting of the Chauvin G. W. V. A. will be held Thursday, December 22th,

Nearly five million Manitoba maples, Russian poplar and caragana seedlings will be available at the Saskatchewan Forestry Field Nursery for distribution among farmers next spring.

Everybody knows
that in Canada there are more

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Many doctors prescribe them, most druggists sell them. Write for free trial to Templeton, Toronto.

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Chauvin Pharmacy

Eastern Canada For Christmas And New Year

With the ardent of the Xmas and New Year Holiday season the Canadian National Railways have arranged special Homevisitors Fares to Eastern Canada, according to an announcement made elsewhere in this issue in the form of a display advertisement.

These special fare concessions are on the basis of single fare and one third for the round trip and apply from all stations in the Prairie Provinces. Tickets are on sale from December 1st, 1921, to January 15th 1922, both days inclusive, and are good to return up to three months

from date of issue.

Tickets may be routed via the "Continental Limited" through Cochrane leaving Winnipeg daily at 11.00 A.M. or place left a.m. or via "The National", through Port Arthur, leaving Winnipeg 5.00 p.m. going or returning same route, or going via one route and returning via another specified above.

Reservations on these tickets may be made in the new all-steel tourist sleeping cars, but not in standard sleeping cars.

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Conductor (new on the job): I'm sure the old boy just here has paid his fare twice. Think I had better tell him about it?

Motorman: No-o! Ask him for it again

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DAFFODIL CRACKERS. These are extremely dainty and will prove an attraction at your party each .30c
HOLLY SPRIG CRACKERS20c each; 2 for .35c
MOSS ROSE CRACKERS.20c each; 2 for .35c
CRACKERS. We have received a large shipment of the newest Crackers. These will provide lots of fun each .10c to .20c
SILVER TINSEL GARLANDS, with Colored Bead Pendants, the correct thing for charming Christmas decorations, in a full variety of style and patterns per piece, .15c, .25c, .30c
SILVER TINSEL ORNAMENTS, decorated with colored beads—will delight the eyes of the children—.15c each; 2 for .25c
And at20c and .30c each;
CHRISTMAS TAGS per packet .10c
ENCLOSURE CARDS per packet .10c
CHRISTMAS GUMMED LABELS per packet .10c
CELLULOID SWANS, each .10c to .25c
CELLULOID FISHES each .10c to .25c
CELLULOID STEAM BOATS each .10c to .25c
BOX ASSORTED SWANS, FISHES & BOATS40c
KEWPIES. The Children's Favorite Each; .15c, .25c & .35c
CELLULOID DOLLS, With Moveable Arms and Legs Each .35c
CELLULOID DOLLS, A very large variety Each .25c

In addition to the above we have a full line of the following—

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ENGINES
AUTOMOBILES
PAINTS
WALL QUOITS
TEDDY BEARS
TOPS

BLOCKS
TRAINS
STRUCTO MODELS
GAMES OF ALL KINDS
MECHANICAL TOYS
DOLLS OF ALL KINDS
RABBITS & DOLLS
BUILDING BRICKS

CHRISTMAS GIFTS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS. You will be able to select Presents for Young & Old, Male or Female, from our Varied Stock. Those desiring Utility Presents will find their needs supplied from any one of our many departments— We will take pleasure in giving suggestions, and showing you the goods.

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Both equipped with Tourist Sleeping Cars with the latest appliances
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Chauvin Village
Election Results

The results of the election for Councillors for the Village of Chauvin, held on Monday were as follows:

*C. G. Forryan	67
*L. E. Roy	54
*A. E. Keith	46
D. W. Parcels	43
E. W. Atkins	39

The * against a name indicates elected to stand as Councillor for the ensuing year.

Turkey Shoot
Next Saturday

A Turkey Shoot and Raffle will be held at Chauvin on Saturday next Dec 17th. Large Turkeys at a Fair Price.

An Austrian crown is worth nearly one cent, which makes it more valuable than some other European crowns.

BARN PRICES

TEAM HAY	each feed	.40
" HAY (overnight)	2 feeds	1.00
" STALL		.25
" STALL (overnight)		.75
" OATS	extra	.20
SINGLE OATS	extra	.10
" HAY		.25
" STALL		.15

DANCE

TEAM HAY	.50
SINGLE HAY	.25
TEAM STALL	.35
SINGLE STALL	.20

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Residence, No. 29

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REPAIRING
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CHAUVIN, ALBERTA

Manitou Lake
Election Results

FOR REEVE
The result of the polls for Reeve for all divisions of the municipality of Manitou Lake are as follows:

P. M. Chapman	151
W. L. Berry	132

FOR COUNCILLOR
For Councillor for Division four

H. Smith	43
J. W. Coe	29

Aurlie U.F.A
The annual meeting of the Airlie U.F.A. was held in the schoolhouse by President J. A. Craddock, December 7th. The meeting was called to order by Pres. J. A. Craddock.

The minutes of previous meeting were read. Moved that minutes be approved as read. Carried.

The auditors report was then put before the meeting. Moved C. Matheson—G. Gibb that Financial report be accepted.. Carried

Tre President then called for nominations for office of Pres. Moved Craddock be reappointed. J. A. Craddock declined.

Moved F. Cargill—P. Manson that C. Matheson be Pres.. Moved C. Matheson —C. R. Matheson that W. Montgomery be Pres.

Moved W. Montgomery—P. Manson that G. Gibb be president.

Moved C. R. Matheson—C. Matheson that nominations close.

W. Montgomery was duly elected

Moved C. R. Matheson be Vice-Pres. Moved that J. Mundy be Vice-President. J. Mundy was elected.

Moved F. Cargill be Secy.—Treas. Moved G. Gibb be Secy.—Treas.

F. Cargill was elected.

Moved J. Mundy—F. Cargill that we elect three directors. Moved H. Butler be director; Carried.

Moved P. Manson be director, Car. Moved W. J. Harris be director, Carried

Moved that F. Cargill be on social committee, Carried.

Moved that A. Montgomery be on social committee, Carried.

Moved that E. Matheson be on social committee. Carried.

Moved G. Gibb—W. W. Montgomery that we hold our regular meeting 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month. Carried.

Moved that meetings be called to order at 7 o'clock. Carried.

The meeting adjourned to the singing of the National Anthem U.F.A. will hold their next meeting June 4tr 1922.

Mrs. Heath, accomanid by her daughter Laura and son Thomas have gone to Washington where they intend to make their home. It is hoped Mrs. Heath will improve in health.

The Chauvin Hockey Club have tickets for the skating rink can now be purchased at the following prices: Adults \$5.00; Children \$2.50

The 19th Alberta dragoins are giving a regimental dance in the Oddfells Hall on Friday December 16th. The proceeds to go towards squadron funds. Dress uniform may be worn Everybody welcome.

Market Prices
SECURITY ELEVATOR, CHAUVIN
Tuesday December 13th at 2 p.m.

Wheat	
No. 1	.74
No. 2	.71
No. 3	.66
Oats	
No. 2 C. W.	.23
Barley	
No. 3 C. W.	.32
Rye	
No. 2 C. W.	.58
Flax	
No. 1 N. W.	1.30

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STATEMENT OF THE CHAUVIN AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY
FOR THE YEAR 1921

TOTAL RECEIPTS	
Balance on hand from previous year	87.49
Government Grant for Exhibition	719.34
Government Grant for Membership and Institute Work	138.00
Membership Fees for 1921	50.00
Donations in Cash	291.25
Municipal Grants	150.00
Entry Fees, Agricultural	164.45
Entry Fees, Poultry and Seed Fair	16.80
Entry Fees, Races and Sports	14.00
Gate Receipts	133.50
Door Receipts, Seed Fair	18.45
Advertisements in Prize List	199.00
Mortgages and Promissory Notes	1300.00
Rent	50.00
Government Grant, Seed Fair	68.00
Government Grant, Poultry Show	36.67
Proceeds from Booth	199.76
Membership Fees for 1922, deducted from prize money	49.00
Proceeds of Lunch, Fair Day	34.40
Donation to Printing	52.50
Donations in Goods	44.00
Dances	114.00
TOTAL	3930.61

TOTAL EXPENDITURES	
Outstanding Cheques, December 1st 1920	18.00
Amount paid in prizes at Exhibition	1138.00
Loan to Booth	10.00
Amount paid in prizes at Seed Grain Fair	55.00
Amount paid in prizes at Poultry Exhibition	68.00
Fees Returned	4.80
Amount paid in prizes at Horse Racing	91.60
Amount Paid in Prizes at other Sports	1.40
Expenses of Judges	32.36
Improvements to Buildings and Grounds	283.10
Interest	51.85
Insurance	37.50
Printing	246.75
Postage and Stationery	21.65
Feed for Fair	8.00
Salaries	125.00
Mortgages and Notes	1250.00
Attractions and Dance Music	56.00
Rent	56.00
Fair's Association Fee	5.00
Taxes	20.00
Booth Expenses	107.70
Auditing	10.00
Land Registration Fee	16.45
Balance at Bank	118.49
Cash on Hand	98.02
TOTAL	3930.61

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

ASSETS	
Value of Lands, Buildings and Improvements 1921.10	
Estimated Government Grant	732.00
Outstanding Advertising	6.00
Donations Outstanding	70.00
Cash on Hand	98.02
Cash in Bank	118.49
TOTAL	2945.61

LIABILITIES	
Outstanding Promissory Notes	1000.00
Rent	15.00
Secretary's Salary	100.00
Alberta Fair's Association	10.00
Auditing	10.00
Balance: Surplus Assets over Liabilities	1810.61
TOTAL	2945.61

Audited and found Correct:
Nov. 23rd 1921 T. H SAUL, Official Auditor

I, Pratt H. Perry, do solemnly declare that the foregoing is a true statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Chauvin Agricultural Society and that no part of the prize money awarded to exhibitors has been retained or will be retained for any purpose or on any pretence whatever, other than one dollar for membership fee for ensuing year. And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing that it of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virute of The Canada Evidence Act, 1893.

P. H. PERRY, Secretary

Declared before me at Chauvin in the Province of Alberta, this 23rd day of November, A.D. 1921
T. H. SAUL, A Commissioner for Oaths

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CHAUVIN, ALBERTA.

Splendid Years Work By Chauvin Agricultural Soc'y

(Continued from front page)

The Year's Work

On Feb. 26th, a Seed Fair and Poultry show were held. This is the first time the society has had a seed fair and poultry show combined. There were 12 entries in grain, 8 in potatoes, 9 in live poultry, and 13 in dressed poultry.

On August 4th, the annual fair was held, at which there were 146 entries in horses, 131 in cattle, 16 in sheep, 18 in swine, 21 in grains, 154 in roots and vegetables, 87 in domestic products, 83 in fancy work, and 61 in children's department.

There was a large increase in all classes this year over last year, except in grains and children's work, which were 23 and 114 respectively.

This year \$1138 was paid out in prize money as against \$1079 last year.

The directors ran the booth again this year and had a net profit of \$82.06

Before the fair the directors found it would be necessary to enlarge the accommodation for cattle and to pro-

vide a ring where they could be led out and judged

During the year there were two Institute meetings, one on February 26th, which was addressed by J. M. Clarke, of Edmonton, and the second on May 24th, which was addressed by Mr M. J. Tinline, of Scott Experimental station, this one was followed by a dance.

To Find Better Markets For Seed Grain

The Department of Agriculture, through the Agricultural Societies, is endeavouring to put farmers with a supply of good seed grain in touch with seed houses that are in the market, thus enabling them to more easily get the advantage of a better market.

Through the efforts of the extension Department of the University of Alberta arrangements were made with the Hudson's Bay Company, at Edmonton, whereby window space was given where Agricultural Societies could exhibit collections of ladies work, which had won prizes at their fairs. As this was the first exhibit and very little time was given for preparation, the Chauvin exhibit was not as large as the directors would like to have seen. It was comprized of some dozen pieces.

Last year they thought that February was a little late in the season for holding a seed fair, so this year they held it on Saturday, December,

10th, when fourteen entries in grain, four in potatoes, eighteen in poultry and nine in dressed poultry were exhibited.

Financial Progress

At the Alberta Fairs Convention held last February it was found necessary to reduce the Government Grant from 66 2-3 per cent to 60 per cent of the prize money actually paid out, and the membership grant one-half providing there are 100 members or more. But in spite of this the Society cleared itself of indebtedness, except \$110.49.

I would like to impress on the members of the society here to-day that the success of the society not only rests on the members they appoint as directors but on the support which the members of that society give them. The directors are not the society but every person that is a member. (and every person should be a member). P. H. PERRY, Sec.

Secretary's Report Adopted

The president the meeting to examine the financial report, as printed. The secretary read the report of the year (given above). After which the president asked for discussion on the report.

Moved: A. E. Keith—George Snell—these reports be accepted. The motion was carried without discussion.

Provincial Seed Fair Arrangements

There followed some discussion on exhibit to the Provincial Seed Fair. Moved Lt-Col. Rodden—J. Semple—that the incoming directors take what steps necessary to collect such an exhibit. Carried

Election of Officers

The election of officers was the next business upon the agenda. It was decided that the Hon. Patrons should be the heads of the three adjacent municipalities, Ribstone, Merton and Manitou Lake. The Hon. Presidents to be the same as last year.

Moved by Lt-Col. Rodden, J. Semple—that Norman Strachan be president. A. E. Pitman moved that nominations close. The meeting voted Norman Strachan president for the coming year.

Mrs. T. T. H. Aromour was elected 1st Vice-president, and E. A. Pitman as 2nd vice-president.

The following directors were then elected by secret ballot:—Mrs. C. Miller; Geo. Tessier; G. C. Lasell; Geo. Snell Sr; Joe Craddock; H. Young; J. S. Palmer; A. E. Keit; H. Foreman; Alex Taylor; Dr. Polkins; C. Ouellette; Wm. Petrie; and J. Swan.

President declared meeting adjourned.

Directors Meeting

The directors of the Chauvin Agricultural Society met in the I. O. O. F. hall immediately after the annual meeting. President Norman Strachan in the chair.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted on motion of A. E. Keith, H. Young.

President called on directors to appoint a secretary-treasurer. Moved Lt-Col. Rodden, E. A. Pitman that P. H. Perry be secretary-treasurer. Carried

Secretary was instructed to write Seed and Weed Dept, and get all the information re Seed Fair that he could get, and also to ask them to send prize lists to all who had offered to exhibit.

Meeting then adjourned to meet Saturday January 7th.

Notes from North East

We are certainly having some wonderful weather just now.

Well it is all over and great was the fall of the Meighen Government.

We are asked to state that the

cost of the Learig Xmas Ship is being borne by the efforts of the Learig Dramatic Society who have raised the necessary funds by the concert etc.

While there are so many things and dates to remember one of the most important is the Fram Grain Growers Annual meeting on Saturday afternoon, January 7th 1922 at 1 o'clock.

To Mr. and Mrs. A. Hin, a son. Congratulations Andrew

Lealholme U. F. W. A

The next meeting of the Lealholme U. F. W. A. will be held Friday, 23 December.

Greenmeadows U.F.A.

The Greenmeadow U. F. A. will hold their regular meeting at 8 p.m., Wednesday, January 4th 1922. A social and dance will be held after the meeting—All are welcome.

Christmas Stock

A CHOICE SELECTION
MODERATE PRICES

XMAS SEALS & TAGS
XMAS CARDS, .10c to .25c
WRITING CASES
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SEWING BOXES
Brush, Comb & Mirror Sets
XMAS CRACKERS
XMAS TREE DECORATION
DOLLS
HANDKERCHIEFS
CIGARS & CIGARETTES
Cigar & Cigarette Holders
TOYS & BOOKS

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FOR YOUNG & OLD

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CHAUVIN, ALBERTA

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Wollen Gloves

SCOTCH KNIT WOOL GLOVES. Good Heavy Quality Scotch Knit Wool Gloves for either Ladies or Men per pair \$1.25

Mens Ties

MENS SILK TIES. Splendid Assortment of Fine Quality Silk Ties. Always appreciated by the men \$1.00 to \$1.50

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MENS FINE SOCKS. We have a large range of Men's Fine Socks, both in the Cashmere and Wool, in Plain Black, and in Heather Mixtures. Always Acceptable per pair .85c to \$1.25

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CANNED MEATS

FRESH FISH
CURED FISH
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FRESH & CANNED
VEGETABLES

FRESH FRUITS
CANNED FRUIT

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BUTTER

SPICES

PICKLES
OLIVES

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TABLE SALT

HAM & BACON
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CHAUVIN, ALBERTA

Babies Seldom Die In Rural Hospitals

The dollar a day municipal hospitals now in operation in nine districts in Alberta, accommodated 1527 persons for a total of 17,769 hospital days from January 1st to June 30th of this year. The cost of maintenance aried from \$4.65 per hospital day in Cardston to \$2.52 in Vermilion, and the total expenses of the 10 hospitals were \$63,352.73, the greater part of which was raised by local taation. The amazing record of a zero mortality death rate among maternity cases has been maintained through the past six months in all but three of the hospitals. Out of 316 maternity cases in all, five deaths are recorded. The jealousy with which these new municipal hospitals are guarding this branch of the work in rural communities is illustrated by the stress laid upon this feature in all reports submitted to the provincial department of health. The first maternity death in the Bassano hospital, which breaks the zero record hitherto maintained, was a complication of pneumonia and pregnancy of a patient who was brought 30 miles in December weather, after ab-

ortion had taken place. The annual report of these hospitals as compiled by Arthur Whiston, secretary of the municipal hospitals branch affords an interesting survey of the changed health conditions in every district where municipal tax-supported hospitals are now in course of operation. New hospitals are being built in three districts. Viking, Provost, and Hanna, making 12 in all. The new institution at High River will be officially opened by the premier on Tuesday, November 15th.

Grass Crop Exceeds Wheat In Value

Canada's grass crop is of greater value than the wheat crop. Professor V. W. Jackson, of the Agricultural college, declared at a meeting of the Manitoba branch of the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists, recently. This arose, he pointed out, from the very great importance of grass and the comparative unimportance of wheat in eastern farming. In addition to this, the professor asserted, that the grass values in the western provinces were much greater than most people believed. On the prairies cultivated grasses enter into the hay crop commercially handled only to a negligible extent, but the natural meadows of Manitoba give a tremendously large annual hay crop, and year by year the native hay lands were increasing in value as they became levelled, better drained, and freer of objectionable growth.

Between 4000 & 5000 Tractors Now Used

Eighty-five per cent of 5,000 Canadian tractor owners interviewed by the international Harvester company, reported they used their tractors this year. Twelve per cent said they had not used their machines owing principally to the high cost of oil or the low price of horses and feed. Others said they intended to use their tractors later in the year. Of those who used tractors this year 93 per cent listed field work such as plowing, discing, and brush-breaking as the work done. The yearly repair expense varied from \$5 to \$50 but averaged \$15. The average life of a tractor was stated to be ten years. Wayne Dinsmore, who recently made a trip through Canada, said he invested in oil and gas tractors in the three prairie provinces.

Music And Singing Lessons May Be Had

Mrs. R. H. Mann L.A.B., of the The Royal Academy and The Royal College of Music, London, England, will be in Chauvin this week, and will establish a local centre; for the preparation of both junior and advanced pupils, for the examinations to be held by the visiting examiner of the above Board. Diplomas of the College will be issued to successful pupils. The following are the branches which Mrs. Mann will take up: Singing, Pianoforte, Aural Culture, Rudiments of Music, and Grammar of Music. Applicants for tuition are advised to forward their names now; as only a limited number of pupils will be received. Address Mrs. R. H. MANN, Chauvin, Alta

AN OMINOUS POSSIBILITY

"Pretty bad fire you had here last night," commented the recently arrived guest. "Eh-yah!" replied the landlord of the Petunia tavern. "The fire company had it pretty nearly put out,

and then the mayor came and took personal charge of the conflagration and yelled orders till he got the firemen so mixed up that they couldn't do anything. And I reckon if it hadn't begun to rain directly the whole dod-molested town would have been holocausted. But I s'pose it might have been worse."

"How could it have been worse?"

"Why the governor or a congressman might have come and took charge instead of the mayor, and it might not have rained."

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The editor in charge of the personal inquiry column opened his seventieth letter with a groan.

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COST OF RAISING WHEAT--A SIDE LIGHT

We have been canvassing among the local farmers for a definite statement of the cost of growing wheat per bushel during the season of 1921. We have indeed asked this question of over twenty individual farmers. They have, without exception, stated that it cost more to grow than the present price offered by the trade for their grain. The majority of those questioned could not give a definite statement of cost. A few had not completed and tabulated their records, and have promised to furnish the figures for publication at an early date. We shall be pleased to receive authentic figures from any local farmer.

THE BASIC INDUSTRY OF THE COUNTRY IS RUNNING AT A LOSS AND IT IS UP TO US TO DEMONSTRATE PROOF OF THIS. Last year the figures published in the Chauvin Chronicle were copied by a large number of publications throughout Canada, and we are anxious to again call the attention of the whole public to this phase of the question.

The following article was handed in to us by a local farmer, who at the same requested us to publish it. The article was written in the States at the time the Wheat Board was in operation.

There is hardly a form of human food that is produced so economically, processed so cheaply and with so little waste—manufactured by wholesale or at home, as the householder may choose—and put upon the consumers' table with so little loss or extra profit as are wheat and its products. Hats off to wheat, the greatest food of man, whether savage or civilized.

To produce a bushel of wheat requires in general terms about a fifteenth of an acre of land, an hour's work of the farmer, and two hours' work of a horse—not to mention investment in machinery. It is a general rule the country over that two horse hours are equal in value to one man hour; so this man and his team devote the equivalent of two man hours to the production of a bushel of wheat.

Besides this, and in general, one-tenth of a bushel was sown for seed the year before, cast to the winds purely on faith; and at least another tenth goes for twine, machinery and threshing. The bushel of wheat will remove from the soil nearly one and a half pounds of nitrogen, which would cost, if bought in the open market, not less than twenty-five to thirty cents; while as much more is likely to be lost by drainage and wash, because nitrogen compounds are exceedingly soluble. It will also remove a quarter of a pound of phosphorus, which will cost at least six cents to replace, and an equal amount of potassium, which will cost about half as much more.

Suppose for the sake of computation, we account the farmer as entitled to the plumber's wage of seventy-five cents an hour,—waiving the dollar rate under contemplation—and agree that his three hundred dollar team shall be reckoned at the rate of the plumber's helper. We shall ignore the value of nitrogen, because by good farming it can be gotten gratis out of the atmosphere, and we shall have need of all possible savings. But we shall be obliged to include the phosphorus and the potassium, because they are sold out of stock and once for all, just as truly as are groceries, from the merchant's stock, with no way of restoration except by purchase.

Though conditions vary greatly and no single figure can represent the cost of production, yet in general the account against the bushel of wheat will stand substantially as follows:

One hour of farmer's labor, plumber's rate	\$0.75
One hour of team's labor, helper's rate30
One tenth bushel—seed22
One tenth bushel—twine, machinery, threshing22
Interest on ten dollars' worth of land60
Taxes on ten dollars' worth of land10
Fertilizer	
One and a half pounds of nitrogen00
One quarter pound phosphorus06
One quarter pound potassium02
Total	\$2.47

How does he do it, even now, at two dollars and twenty-six cents? And how in the name of all the gods did he do it, all those years for seventy cents or less? The writer can make answer, for he was there and he knows. It was achieved only by long days and cheap land, and at the expense of fertility and by the labor of children. Even so, to get the amount down to seventy cents the farmer himself must needs work for less than the lowest wage. For obvious reasons these days are definitely over in America, and forever!

It may be objected that good farming will produce more than the yields herein indicated—and that is true, especially in the good seasons; but we are talking now about all kinds of farming in all kinds of seasons; in other words, the average, such as we must depend upon for wholesale results.

Taking the country as a whole, good, bad, and indifferent, one year with another, it will require a plot of land fifty feet square to produce a bushel of wheat. This means that when the farmer is growing wheat at seventy cents a bushel, he will plow, harrow, and seed (and harvest a piece of ground six feet square for one cent of gross income; and at two twenty six the entire proceeds of these thirty-six square feet would buy a single three cent postage stamp.

Verily farming is a highly remunerative business, and the farmer is in danger of becoming a profiteer!

OCSBORNE FAMILY COMING

The Osborne Family are visiting at the L.O.O.F. Hall Chauvin, Monday Dec. 19th. Their entertainment will be "An Oriental Fantasy" Ukelele, Banjo and other music, with songs, dances and sketches will form part of the interesting program. The whole to be followed by a public dance with music by Vanvouver Jazz Orchestra.

OFF COLOR

She got the lipstick by mistake When pencilling her eyebrows; I thought at first 'twas some new fad She learned among the highbrows. She took one squint into her glass, And knew she pulled a skulker; "I'll have to go straight home," she sobbed, "I'm terribly off color."

BRADY SCHOOL DISTRICT No.234

Tenders

TENDERS are asked for moving Brady School, Stable and 2 Closets, from N.W. 16-44-27-w3rd, to S.W. 9-44-27-w3rd, a distance of two miles. Size of school, 24ft x 30ft. It has a porch. Contractor to be responsible for all damage incurred in moving. Building to be left standing on wood blocks ready for putting cement foundation under, and must be left ready for use, ad to the satisfaction of the trustees.

SEALED TENDERS must be sent in by December 15th 1921. Further particulars may be obtained from Jas. W. Coe, Secretary, Artland, P.O., to whom all tenders must be addressed.

JAMES W. COE, Nov. 30th 1921. ARTLAND, Sask.

J. Kampe leaves to-day to spend the winter at Fairy Glen, near Melfort, Sask.

Your attention is drawn to a call for tenders for moving Brady school and buildings a distance of two miles. The trustees want a good job, and they want to spend the money locally if at all possible. This is a good chance to earn a little money towards the winter's board.

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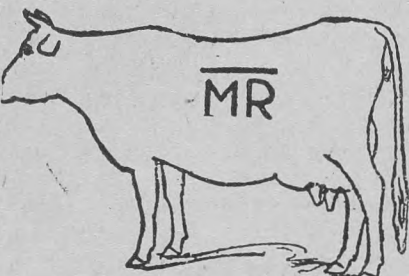
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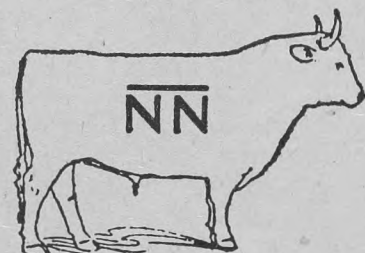
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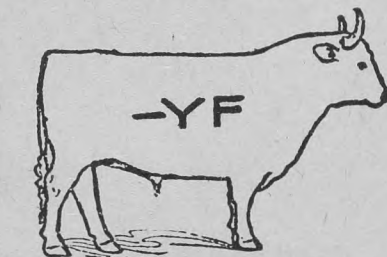
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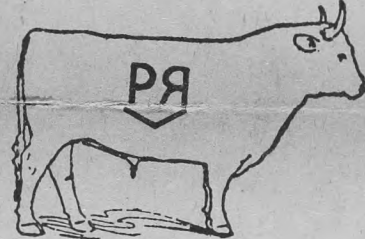
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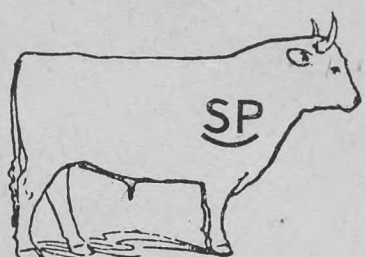
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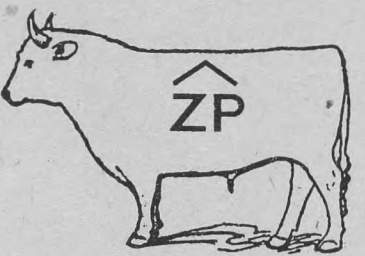
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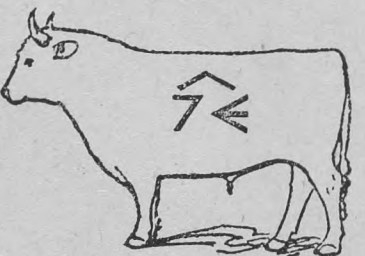
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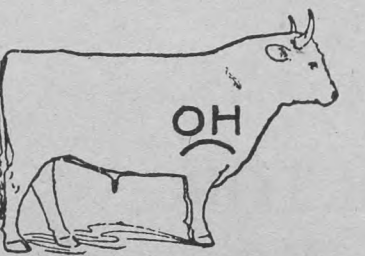
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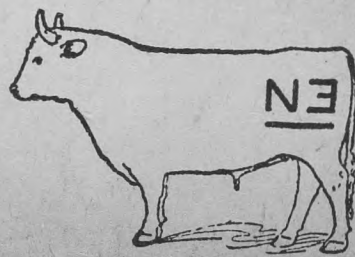
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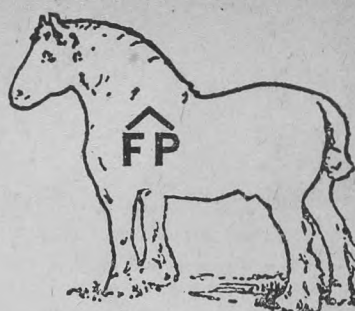
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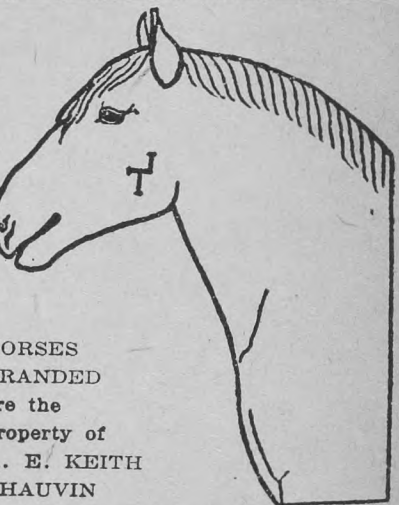


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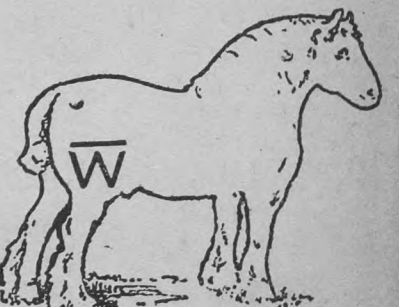
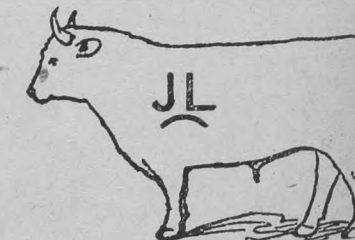
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